

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Ziv Sandalon, Ariella Oppenheim and Amos Oppenheim

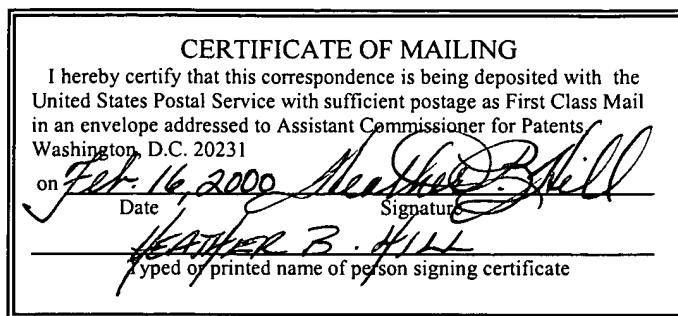
Application No.: 09/068,293

Group: 1636

Filed: May 6, 1998

Examiner: William Sandals

For: *In Vitro* Construction of SV40 Viruses and Pseudoviruses



Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is Amendment A for filing in the above-identified application.

[x] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

[] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| (COL. 1) | (COL. 2) | (COL. 3) | (COL. 4) | (COL. 5) |
|--|---|----------|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
| TOTAL | 46 | MINUS | * 46 | 0 |
| INDEP | 4 | MINUS | ** 4 | 0 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | |

* not fewer than 20
** not fewer than 3

| SMALL ENTITY | | |
|--------------|-------|---------------|
| | RATE | ADDIT. FEE |
| X | \$ 9 | \$ 0 |
| X | \$39 | \$ 0 |
| + | \$130 | \$ |

TOTAL = \$ 0

| OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY | | |
|----------------------------|-------|---------------|
| | RATE | ADDIT. FEE |
| X | \$18 | \$ |
| X | \$78 | \$ |
| + | \$260 | \$ |

TOTAL = \$ 0

Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for the following fees:

| | | | |
|--------------------------|--|----|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Petition for [] month Extension of Time | \$ | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Amendment Fee | \$ | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other Fees: | | |
| | _____ | \$ | _____ |
| | _____ | \$ | _____ |
| | TOTAL: | \$ | <u>0</u> |

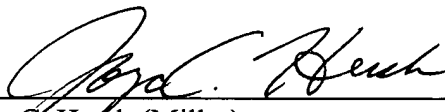
A check is enclosed in payment of the following fees:

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|-------------------------------------|--|----|------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Petition for three month Extension of Time | \$ | <u>435</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Amendment Fee | \$ | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other Fees: | | |
| | _____ | \$ | _____ |
| | _____ | \$ | _____ |
| | TOTAL: | \$ | <u>435</u> |

[X] A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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